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Mr. ELWOOD HUETTMAN, 34 Gibbs Drive, Chalmette, Louisiana, and employed by New Orleans Public Service, Inc. 317 Baronne Street (Room 410), New Orleans, Louisiana, furnished the following information:

He stated that sometime during July or August, 1963, while he was walking on Canal Street between Dauphine and Bourbon Streets and between the Katz and Bestoff Drug Store and D. H. Holmes Department Store, a man, whom he described as white male, 25 to 30 years old, 5' 8" tall, 140 to 150 pounds, wearing a khaki shirt and khaki pants, handed him a handbill, yellow in color, with the words "Hands off Cuba! Join the Fair Play for Cuba Committee, New Orleans Charter Member Branch, Free Literature, Lectures, Location: FPCC - A. J. Hidell, P. O. Box 30016, New Orleans, Louisiana, Everyone Welcome!"

He stated that this was approximately 12:30 p.m. as he was returning from his lunch period. He stated that he could not describe the individual who gave him this handbill any further than the foregoing as he did not take particular notice of this individual inasmuch as there always seems to be someone handing out something along Canal Street during that time of day. He stated that he never observed this individual prior to this time nor has he ever seen the foregoing described handbill prior to this time.

He further advised that he thought he had destroyed this handbill, but, when cleaning out his desk on December 12, 1963, he found this handbill in his desk drawer. He stated that he brought this to the attention of his fellow employees and approximately 30 employees looked at this handbill and handled it.

HUETTMAN was exhibited a series of six photographs taken by WDSU-TV on August 16, 1963, in front of the International Trade Mart Building, 124 Camp Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, but HUETTMAN could not identify anyone in these photographs. A photograph of LEE HARVEY

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by SA JOHN R. LEE, JR. :sab Date dictated 12/16/63

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OSWALD was shown to HUETTMAN and he advised that he had seen OSWALD's picture on television and in the newspapers and could, therefore, recognize this photograph of OSWALD, but could not identify OSWALD as being the individual who gave him the foregoing described handbill.